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RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO COMPLY WITH REQUIREMENTS FOR PATENT APAPPLICAITONS CONTAINING NUCLEOTIDE SEQUENCE AND/OR AMINO ACID SEQUENCE DISCLOSURES AND PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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Sir:

In response to the Office action mailed February 28, 2001, in the above-identified application, please amend the application as follows.

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Please replace the originally-filed Sequence Listing with the enclosed substitute pages containing the Sequence Listing.

REMARKS

In the Office Action dated, February 28, 2001, The Examiner has noted that the subject application fails to comply with the requirements of 37 CFR 1.821-1.825, for failing to include the Sequence Listing in computer-readable form (CRF). The Examiner has requested (i) an initial or substitute CRF copy of the Sequence Listing, (ii) an initial or substitute paper copy of the Sequence Listing together with an amendment directing its entry into the specification, and (iii) a statement that the content of the paper and computer readable copies are the same, and that they do not introduce new matter.